

Courtroom Minute Entry

Room: Judge Tinsley Charleston
Caption: USA v. Kenneth McCord

Case No.: 2:25-cr-00052
Judge: Judge Tinsley

Type: Arraignment/Detention Hearing

Started: 4/7/2025 2:01:33 PM

Ends: 4/7/2025 2:13:31 PM **Length:** 00:11:59

Judge Dwane L. Tinsley
Courtroom Deputy: Kim Begovich
Defendant: Kenneth McCord
Assistant U.S. Attorney: Jennifer R. Herrald
Retained Defense Attorney: Timothy J. LaFon
Probation Officer: Patrick M. Fidler
Court Reporter: CourtSmart

ARRAIGNMENT AND DETENTION HEARING

2:03:47 PM Called case, noted appearances of counsel, defendant present in courtroom
2:04:07 PM Defendant placed under oath by Courtroom Deputy
2:04:33 PM Stated rights of defendant and defendant acknowledged these rights
2:04:46 PM Defendant: Kenneth McCord
2:04:48 PM Stated personal information
2:04:51 PM Judge Dwane L. Tinsley
2:04:52 PM Questions defendant about indictment related matters
2:07:51 PM Defendant pleads not guilty to charge(s) contained in the indictment
2:07:54 PM Stated district judge assignment, and dates for trial and pretrial motions hearing
2:08:12 PM If courtroom technology is required for use at trial or other proceedings, counsel shall notify the court's technology staff five business days prior to commencement of the proceeding
2:08:43 PM Defendant does not waive the right to be present at the pretrial motions hearing
2:09:42 PM Parties have elected the standard discovery; pretrial motions, voir dire and witness list dates given
2:10:04 PM Make sure chambers receives a copy of all motions filed with the clerk
2:11:11 PM Advised counsel to give USMS 30 days notice for out-of-custody defendants/witnesses and cancel when unnecessary
2:11:25 PM Court and parties review and discuss Pretrial Services Report
2:11:45 PM The Gov't previously filed a motion for detention hearing
2:12:05 PM Retained Defense Attorney: Timothy J. LaFon
2:12:07 PM Not contesting today but reserves the right to file a motion to reopen
2:12:26 PM Assistant U.S. Attorney: Jennifer R. Herrald
2:12:28 PM No objection
2:12:32 PM Judge Dwane L. Tinsley
2:12:35 PM Defendant is to file a motion
2:12:40 PM Reminder of due Process Protections Act of 2020
2:12:52 PM Anything else counsel wishes to address?
2:12:56 PM Ordered the defendant detained and remanded to the custody of the US Marshals Service
2:13:14 PM Hearing adjourned